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Re: Proposed Abandonment and Discontinuance of a portion of the Great Western Industrial Lead and Discontinuance of related Trackage Rights; STB Docket Nos. AB-33 (Sub-No. 300X) and AB-414 (Sub-No. 6X)

Gentlemen:

Good news for us all. The Union Pacific Railroad Company ("Union Pacific") and Iowa Interstate Railroad, Ltd. ("IAIS") received the attached decision from the Surface Transportation Board granting the Petition to abandon the Chicago and Great Western Industrial Lead. In accordance with said decision on behalf of Union Pacific and IAIS, I hereby serve a copy of said decision on each of you in your capacity as legal representatives for the parties to this matter. This decision clears the way for all parties to proceed to close the various pending transactions. I thank each of you for your patience and diligence toward the mutual goal of completing the Petition process before the Surface Transportation Board.

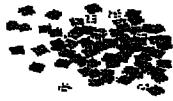
Sincerely,


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SENT ON BEHALF OF MACK SHUMATE, JR.

Counsel,

Please see the attached STB Decision in the above-referenced matter. Thank you.



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